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W. H. Ward, Mace Kiser, J. J. Moore, Members of Coffee County of Commissioners of Coffee County Alabama.

O. P. Lightner, Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama.

GRADUATE CORSETTEE.

Mrs. Hutchison, At Mays-Vaughn Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Gussie Hutchison has returned from the course of training with the Gossard Corset College. Her husband is a most helpful, self-sacrificing, and with her special training will prove invaluable to the women of this section in trying expert advice on their corset and clothing needs. Her firm, the Mays-Vaughn Mercantile Company, will have a large stock of goods with telling about this.


ASSORTMENT CORSETTEE.

THE ASSORTMENT OF CORSETTEE HATS NOW ON DISPLAY. MADE BY GAGE BROTHERS, MAYS-VAUGHN MERC., CO.

BIG BANG ADDITION.

The First National Bank of Opp, has long been one of the store at the center of the town. It now announces the addition of a Trust Department which will be most useful and helpful. Its advertisement in this issue tells in a very plain manner why the trust department will be beneficial to its

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Statistics presented at the Tobacco Trade Congress at London recently showed that Americans now smoke 14 cigarettes to each cigar. In England the ratio is 400 to 1; and in France 40 to 1. In ten years the consumption of cigars in the United States has dropped from 8,000,000,000 to less than 7,000,000,000 per annum.

Lack of paint allows farm buildings to rot.

Generally speaking, farm crops have made satisfactory progress so far this year, although they are a little late.

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We take this method of asking the customers of our company who use electric power to see A. M. McCullough at the Court House and settle their bills before the 10th, of each month, beginning July 1st., 1927. We wish to thank you for your patronage in the past, and hope that you will extend us this courtesy.

Pea River Power Company,
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Use Blue Star Soap to cleanse the affected parts, then apply Blue Star Remedy. It penetrates the skin, kills out the germ, stops the itching at once, and restores most cases to a healthy condition. Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ringworm, Sore Bilberry Feet, Sunburns, Old Shin Sores—all of these have yielded to its wonderful healing power. 60c and \$1.00 a Jar; Soap 25c, at

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Elba Drug Company, Elba Ala.

1927 AUTOMOBILE ROAD MAPS of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky and Mississippi may be had Free at any of our service stations.

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First National Bank OF OPP, ALABAMA Opens Trust Department

We take pleasure in announcing to our friends and customers that this bank has been granted permission, by the Federal Reserve Board of Washington, to open a TRUST DEPARTMENT and we are permitted to act in the following capacities for our customers and friends.

Trustee, Executor, Administrator, Guardian of Estates, Registrar of Stocks and Bonds, Assignee, Receiver, Committee of Estates of Lunatics, or in any other fiduciary capacity in which any bank, trust company or corporation can act under the laws of the State of Alabama.

Many of our patrons have asked us to serve in the in the capacity of Executors and Administrators of their estates and it is for this purpose that we are opening our TRUST DEPARTMENT.

To any of our customers or friends who desire this bank appointed Administrator, Executor, or Guardian of Estates, we tender our service promising to give these estates the same careful attention given all business entrusted to our care.

It is of distinct advantage to you to have this bank named as Executor or Administrator of your estate for the following reasons:—

FIRST—This bank will be in existence many, many, years after your death and the carrying out of your Will does not depend on the life, death or good fortune of a friend or relative.

SECOND—In having this bank appointed Administrator or Executor of your estate, the entire Capital, Surplus and Profits of this bank, aggregating \$300,000.00, is a bulwark of safety and protection to your heirs and loved ones. In other words, the assets of this bank is ample security to assure you that each and every provision of your Will will be carried out in accordance with your desires.

THIRD—If this bank is designated as your Administrator or Executor your wife and children, who are possibly inexperienced in business, will not have this great care and responsibility to shoulder.

FOURTH—If this bank is named Executor or Administrator of your estate it is not necessary for your family to depend on any relatives or friends to look after your estate and who often times are not capable of managing an estate.

THIS TRUST DEPARTMENT WILL BE UNDER THE DIRECT CHARGE AND CONTROL OF C. W. MIZELL, TRUST OFFICER, WHO IS ALSO PRESIDENT OF THIS BANK.

We invite our friends and customers to come in the bank and discuss freely with us the question of their estate and we will be glad to give you the benefit of our advice as to the working of your Will and assist you in every way possible in having your estate left in a way satisfactory to you.

We appreciate the confidence shown in this bank by our patrons and in opening this TRUST DEPARTMENT we are endeavoring to continue the high grade of service rendered our customers and friends for the past 22 years.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OPP, ALABAMA

C. W. MIZELL, Trust Officer

W. B. BENTON, Asst. Trust Officer

FOR
Latest News of Interest
Read
The Elba Clipper

VOLUME XXXI.

BAPTIST REVIVAL CLOSED SUNDAY NIGHT, MANY MEMBERS SECURED.

The revival meeting which has been in progress at the First Baptist church for the past two weeks, successfully came to a close Sunday night. Large congregations taxed the seating capacity of the church each night, and much interest was manifested throughout.

More than 70 new additions were made to the church, and of this number 37 were converts. Baptismal services were held all along during the meeting, and the last service of this nature will be held next Sunday night.

Rev. P. C. Barkley, of Lakeland, Fla., did the preaching, and all his messages were inspirational and uplifting. His method of presentation was forceful, and he at all times held the attention of his congregation by the eloquence of speech.

The song services were led by Q. L. Fry, of Atlanta, and he proved himself an able leader and organizer. His "Sunshine" and "Booster" choir were bright features of the meeting. This revival was in all respects one of the best ever attempted by the Baptists here in many years, and much spiritual good is expected to come from the many messages in song and from the pulpit given out during two-weeks meeting.

MILDRED DAVIS PLAYS AT THEATRE THIS WEEK

Mildred Davis, that vivacious young screen actress who formerly played opposite Harold Lloyd in his picture comedies, will make her first appearance at the Elba Theater Wednesday and Thursday nights, June 29-30, in a picture all her own. "Too Many Crooks," starring Miss Davis and Lloyd Hughes, will hold the spotlight of attention of the movie fans in this city this week.

The playhouse is permeated with rousing humor, lighthearted situations, and superb acting. Although it is not a burlesque, there are many hilarious incidents in the performance that add to its effectiveness. The movie concerns a fashionable Long Island debutante who wagers that she can write a good crook book. To obtain first hand information along that particular line the girl launches upon a companionship with a band of desperadoes who soon turn her home into a den of iniquity and threaten her reputation in society.

Mildred soon discovers that "too many crooks" bring disastrous results no matter what they attempt to do.

SPECIAL SINGING NOTICE.

Remember, we have our regular singing at Elba Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Let everybody come, as we are expecting to have the best singing of the season. We are expecting many good singers from a distance. Remember this is Coffee county's singing.

D. C. Marley, Chmn.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the people of Elba and adjoining communities who were so kind to us during our recent bereavement. Especially do we thank Dr. Hayes and Brother Williams.

B. J. Cartwright and Children.

Mrs. Dana Perdue and children have returned from Mohi's where they were guests of Mrs. Perdue's parents.

Mrs. M. A. Owen left the first of the week for Pablo Beach, Fla., to attend a convention of the attorneys of the Coast Line.

Mrs. James Larimer and Mr. Harry Larimer of Birmingham, are guests of relatives in Elba this week.

Mrs. N. O. Cummings and children Helen and John of Mobile have returned to their home after visiting relatives in Elba.

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THE ELBA CLIPPER

ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, JUNE 30 1927.

FOR
Nearly Thirty Years
Coffee's
Leading Newspaper

NUMBER 2.

ELBA IN 1897

One Of Founders Of Clipper Tells 30 Year Old News.

(By Judge M. S. Carmichael)

Brantley, twenty miles North-West of Elba, was our shipping point at that time. We got our supplies for about sixteen months from Brantley. The arrangement was not burdensome or very expensive, for as we recall small lots of freight were brought on wagons for about 25 cents a hundred pounds, and larger lots at a cheaper rate. The principal wagon freight business was done by J. L. Larkins and John Black. Larkins was a farmer living near Elba and was one of the most genial men I ever knew. He farmed a little, but mainly relied on his hauling business for a living. He was numbered among the first subscribers to the Clipper. After cotton went up in price he paid more attention to farming than was well off when he died. He had one interesting quality and that was that most of the jokes he told were on himself. John Black was at different times engaged in farming and serving as constable and at still other times as Marshal of Elba. He lived at Elba some years after I went there and moved away.

JUSTICE COURT OFFICERS.

In mentioning the officials I am not omitting to make mention of some of them. At no time since 1897 has the Justice Court and its proceedings amounted to so much as it did in the first two years of the Clipper's life.

Elba precinct No. 6 had as its Justices, J. L. Prescott, who was a former sheriff and also engaged in the Livery stable business; Dr. B. A. Hill, a rather talented physician, but no longer young, who at times insisted that he had once been a lawyer in active practice, a statement which I never did know whether he meant for a joke or not; and W. F. Hammond, editor of the Alabama Teller. The constable was C. R. Talbot.

CHARLIE TALBOT.

Charlie Talbot was not to be outdone by the justice, and he also at that time had two jobs, that of being constable and collecting. John B. Ward was a crippled man who ran a shoe shop and small grocery store in his own wooden building, which also served as his residence. Having accumulated a number of accounts, he placed them in the hands of Talbot to collect. One of the accounts was against a prominent and wealthy attorney of another county who had long lived in Coffee County and who still had business at Elba. This account was for ten cents for a small repair on his watch. This prominent man was irascible at times. So when Talbot presented the account instead of paying, the prominent man told Poor Richard's Almanac. Her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Mizell, was a different type and they made an excellent team.

The other hotel was the old Elba Hotel building which was two stories in height and located where the Elba Brick Hotel now is. Many interesting stories are connected with it. It was once conducted by Mrs. Beard, at another time by the Stouffer girls, and another time by Captain C. M. Cox. At the time we moved to Elba Powell located at this hotel then conducted by J. S. Windham, as well thought of by his boarders as were his competitors by their's. Both hotels had more or less congenial crowds. The Elba Hotel had one marked advantage in that it had a good violinist who would play when sufficiently urged, W. P. Windham.

Typhoid Fever.

In 1897 a considerable number of people, perhaps twenty, had typhoid fever. By that time the doctors had learned a good deal about the treatment of the disease and patients were bathed in water and were permitted to drink water. But the vaccination for typhoid was then unknown. In those days a great many useful people died of typhoid fever. The first Elba man that I "sat up" with was Sheriff J. B. Lightner's son, "Otha," then a deputy sheriff and now sheriff. C. W. Simmons, now Opp Attorney, and I sat up with him several nights. We must have been pretty fair nurses, for he got well.

GIANT DIRIGIBLE PASSED OVER ELBA LATE MONDAY AFTERNOON.

(By A. B. Tucker.)

A little after six o'clock Monday afternoon a great air ship passed through Coffee County. It passed over Elba going in a South-Westerly direction, presumably to Pensacola.

Some of those who saw it read on "U. S. A.," and a few believed that it had a number. In addition, the ship was several hundred feet long, painted aluminum gray. It was of the "Zeppelin" type, being cigar shaped with a cabin suspended beneath the cigar shaped air envelope. The nose of its engines was plainly heard by people in Elba and in the surrounding country.

M. E. QUARTERLY CONFERENCE AT LIBERTY MEETING TO BEGIN SUNDAY.

There will be regular services at the Elba Methodist Church Sunday morning. It is communion day, and every member should be present.

The third quarterly conference for the Elba charge will be held at Liberty Church Saturday. There will be preaching at 11 o'clock by Rev. C. S. Talley, D. D., on the grounds and the Conference in the early afternoon. Brother Talley will preach Saturday night and Sunday, beginning our protracted meeting. Everybody cordially invited.

C. A. Williams, Pastor.

FOURTH OF JULY SINGING.

The old South Coffee Church, of July Singing will convene with New Home Church, seven miles South of Elba, on Monday, July 4, 1927. All Sared Hays singers are invited to come and bring your book and a basket, and let's enjoy the day together with songs in praise to our Maker.

L. F. Young, Chairman.

BEST YET SELF RISING FLOUR FOR 95c.

ELLIS HDW. & SUPPLY CO.

The claim is made for the proposition of this bill that it will give the tenant a "line of credit" not only with the landlord, but with the merchants of the community, who will feel more secure in making advances upon the promise to pay out of the proceeds of the crop. This assurance, it is claimed, will enable the tenant to secure necessary supplies at more reasonable prices by reason of the fact that the danger of loss is materially reduced.

Text of Bill.

The full text of the bill, without amendments or enacting clause, reads as follows:

"Section 1. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops in which some other person firm or corporation, owns an interest, or on which some other person, firm or corporation, holds a valid lien, and who has begun said duties by planting such crop or crops and cultivating the same or begun the cultivation of a crop or crops planted by another, shall, before abandoning the same give 30 days written notice to each such person, firm or corporation as may have an interest in or a valid lien on said crop or crops of his intention to abandon said planted or growing crop or crops.

"Section 2. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops without giving written notice as above set out may do so in the following manner. He may execute a good and sufficient bond or bonds, payable to the person, firm or corporation, or growing crop or crops for double the amount of such interest in or lien on said crop or crops, said bond to be approved by the sheriff of the county in which the crop or crops or the major portion thereof, is located. Said bond to then be delivered by the sheriff to the person, member of a firm, or agent of the corporation, making the same and abandoning said planted or growing crop or crop.

"Section 3. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops, shall, before abandoning the same, give 30 days written notice to each such person, firm or corporation as may have an interest in or a valid lien on said crop or crops of his intention to abandon said planted or growing crop or crops.

"Section 4. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops, shall, before abandoning the same, give 30 days written notice to each such person, firm or corporation as may have an interest in or a valid lien on said crop or crops of his intention to abandon said planted or growing crop or crops.

"Section 5. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops, shall, before abandoning the same, give 30 days written notice to each such person, firm or corporation as may have an interest in or a valid lien on said crop or crops of his intention to abandon said planted or growing crop or crops.

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BILL TO PREVENT CROP JUMPING BY TENANTS FRAMED BY BRUNSON.

(By A. B. Tucker.)

Protecting plantation landlords against "crop jumpers" and at the same time providing a "line of credit" for tenants is the proposal of Representative W. M. Brunson of Coffee county in a bill which he has prepared for introduction in the house of the Alabama legislature this week. Mr. Brunson's bill is intended to cure defects in previous legislative measures, the enforcement of which subjected the landlord to federal prosecution on pecuniary charges.

Mr. Brunson is one of the leading farmers in Coffee county and has been engaged in farming operations practically all his life. He claims for his proposed bill that it will save the farm owners of his county about not less than \$100,000 each year. Under the present tenant system many farmers arrange to have lands cultivated by tenants, who need supplies on which to begin a crop and then after the crop is planted, take a notion to move. Efforts to prevent this "crop jumping," it is claimed often brings on action or threatened action on charges of perjury.

Needed Says Dunwoode.

Sam Dunwoode, commissioner of agriculture and industries in discussing the proposed measure, stated that something is needed and if the proposed bill will stand the test, it will be a boon to landowners without exciting ill-feelings against the tenant. The bill makes provision for abandoning a crop, but the tenant must first protect the landlord.

Under the terms of the proposed bill the tenant who wishes to abandon a planted or growing crop must either post a good and sufficient bond, payable to the party or parties interested in the crop, or give 30 days notice of his intention to abandon the crop. Failure to give such notice or post such bond is made a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than two hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars.

The claim is made for the proposition of this bill that it will give the tenant a "line of credit" not only with the landlord, but with the merchants of the community, who will feel more secure in making advances upon the promise to pay out of the proceeds of the crop. This assurance, it is claimed, will enable the tenant to secure necessary supplies at more reasonable prices by reason of the fact that the danger of loss is materially reduced.

Text of Bill.

The full text of the bill, without amendments or enacting clause, reads as follows:

"Section 1. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops in which some other person firm or corporation, owns an interest, or on which some other person, firm or corporation, holds a valid lien, and who has begun said duties by planting such crop or crops and cultivating the same or begun the cultivation of a crop or crops planted by another, shall, before abandoning the same give 30 days written notice to each such person, firm or corporation as may have an interest in or a valid lien on said crop or crops of his intention to abandon said planted or growing crop or crops.

"Section 2. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops without giving written notice as above set out may do so in the following manner. He may execute a good and sufficient bond or bonds, payable to the person, firm or corporation, or growing crop or crops for double the amount of such interest in or lien on said crop or crops, said bond to be approved by the sheriff of the county in which the crop or crops or the major portion thereof, is located. Said bond to then be delivered by the sheriff to the person, member of a firm, or agent of the corporation, making the same and abandoning said planted or growing crop or crop.

"Section 3. That any person, member of any firm, or agent of any corporation, who desires to abandon a planted or growing crop or crops, shall, before abandoning the same, give 30 days written notice to each such person, firm or corporation as may have an interest in or a valid lien on said crop or crops of his intention to abandon said planted or growing crop or crops.

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New Brockton News

By Miss Alpha Moore.

Mr. Ben Johnson and wife of Eclectic, also Messrs. Watt and John Johnson of Natchaugla are expected to visit here with Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson.

Mrs. S. T. Peacock and Miss Martha Pachel of Haw Ridge are visiting relatives in New Brockton.

Mr. John L. Sawyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wooten visited here last Sunday.

Mr. Seth Ward, of Mobile has been spending a few days with friends in New Brockton.

Mrs. W. T. Edson of Enterprise is spending a few days with Professor and Mrs. W. A. Edson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward and children were visitors to Geneva Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carter and Charles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sawyer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Owens were visitors to Dothan Sunday, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dalbey.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fleming attended the Home-Coming services at Williams Chapel near Brundidge, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor have moved to Coluigi Ga.

Mrs. J. B. Woodall and children have been visiting relatives in Eclectic and Tallapoosa.

Miss Mary Alice Brock was a visitor to Enterprise Monday.

Rev. J. H. Fussell and Mr. Hardwick are spending a few days in Pensacola, Fla.

Miss Pearlina Fleming returned home last Wednesday after spending several days with relatives in Bonifay Fla.

The Baptist people have taken the religious Census of the town and are conducting Proser meetings during this week in preparation for the revival which will begin next Sunday.

Rev. Stuckey and his singer of Birmingham will conduct the meeting.

Mr. A. W. Peacock happened to the unfortunate of breaking his leg last Wednesday. At this writing he is improving nicely.

The revival will begin at the Methodist church, Sunday July 17, 11:00 A. M. Rev. J. F. T. Brown, of North Port, Ala., will preach. Every body is invited to attend these services.

The Epworth League met at the Methodist Church Sunday evening at 8:00 with Bartlett Engman as leader. The subject for the evening was, "Building a Christian Korea."

Special music rendered by Prof. W. A. Edson. Messames Herbert Jones and W. H. Ward, Misses Stella B. Moore and Eloise Sawyer added much to the program.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peacock was completely destroyed by fire Saturday night about 9 o'clock.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mrs. Ridgeway Boyd, Mrs. Corrie Bryant, Mrs. J. M. Garrett, and Mrs. Jack Lee attended the noon meeting at Ozark last Wednesday.

Little Henry D. Jones, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones, formerly of Elba but now of Birmingham, received severe burns on last Saturday and is at the Hillman hospital for treatment. It is also feared that he has colitis. Friends in Elba will be pained to learn of his illness, and trust that he may soon recover.

Mrs. Corrie Bryant Misses Laura Bryant and Mattie Kate Boatman and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hammond, of Dothan, are spending this week at Sagamore Fla.

GRAVE YARD WORKING.

Every body is urged to come to the White Water cemetery on next Saturday, July 2, for the purpose of cleaning up the cemetery grounds.

W. D. Freeman

Mrs. J. O. Rowe and son, of Montgomery, have been